

CHILDS PARK FOUNDATION, INC.

WOODLAWN AVENUE
NORTHAMPTON, MASSACHUSETTS

Mailing Address:

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City of Northampton
Office of Planning and Development
210 Main Street, Room 11
Northampton MA, 01060

Dear Planning Office:

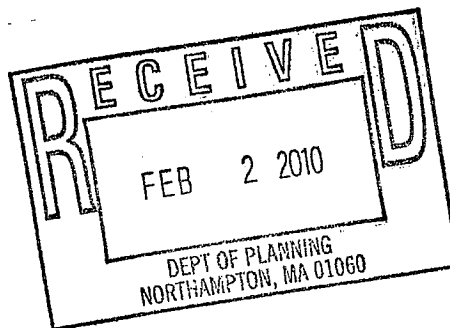
The application of Childs Park for Community Preservation Act funding is enclosed. The funding will allow the dredging of one of the ponds in Childs Park.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions at 413-584-1275. Thank you,

Sincerely,



William E. Dwyer, Jr.
Clerk/Treasurer





COMMUNITY PRESERVATION PROJECT APPLICATION COVER SHEET

I: Project Information

Project Title: Childs Park North Pond Preservation

Project Summary: Originally constructed as a fish and reflecting pond the North Pond is a man made water feature located off North Elm Street in Childs Park. While the pond does collect some ground and surface water it is not fed by a brook or stream. The pond is connected to the City water system and is not viable without this public water source. The pond had not been dredged in over forty years. This had resulted in an accumulation of leaves and other debris have made the pond so shallow it no longer allows the fish to winter over. A portion of the pond has begun to grass in, the entire pond will be lost if steps are not taken to preserve it. We propose to dredge the pond to a depth of four feet removing the accumulated leaves and other debris. The work will be completed in July when the ground is as dry as possible to minimize damage from heavy equipment. The silt removed from the pond will be composted with leaves collected from the spring clean up and used elsewhere in the park. The attached estimate is a little higher then our previous estimate to accommodate the repair of equipment damage to the ground as it will not be frozen when the work is completed.

Estimated start date: 7/1/10 Estimated completion date: 7/31/10

CPA Program Area (check all that apply):

☒ Open Space

Community Housing

Historic Preservation

Recreation

II: Applicant/Developer Information

Contact Person and or/primary applicant: William Dwyer Jr. Clerk, Childs Park Foundation

Organization (if applicable): Childs Park Foundation, Inc.

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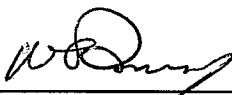
III: Budget Summary

Total budget for project: \$7,350.00

CPA funding request: \$6,350.00

CPA request as percentage of total budget: 86%

Applicant's Signature:


clerk
Childs Park Foundation Inc.

Date Submitted:

2/1/10

01/25/10

Duffy Willard Paving & Excavating LLC

P.O. Box 60137
Florence, MA 01062-0137
Telephone 413/586-1477

Fax 413/586-9210

David Murphy
78 North Elm Street
Northampton, MA 01060

The following proposal is for dredging the pond at Childs Park.

- 1) Remove bushes as needed at three access points around pond and dispose on site.
- 2) Install stone sump to de-water pond, pumping water to City storm drain on Elm St.
- 3) Dredge pond (proposed depth of four feet in center) and dump sediment behind utility building at park for future composting projects.
- 4) Re-set existing boulders around perimeter of pond.
- 5) Loam all affected areas when finished and hydroseed.

The price for the work described above would be \$7,350.00*

* Price is based on the following:

- 1) No Conservation Commission requirements.
- 2) Ability to pump water into storm drain on Elm St.
- 3) All material disposed of on site.
- 4) No permits or fees required.

Payment terms: To be determined pending contract approval.

ACCEPTANCE OF PROPOSAL Please sign and return one copy if you would like us to do the work.

The above price, specifications and conditions are hereby accepted. You are authorized to do the work as specified. Payment will be made as outlined above. All payments not made when due will accrue interest at a rate of 18% per annum. The undersigned agrees to be responsible for all cost of collection, including, but not limited to, reasonable attorneys fees and costs. If this contract is being entered into with a corporation, professional corporation, partnership, limited liability company or limited liability partnership, the individual or individuals signing the contract on behalf of said corporation agree to personally guarantee payment for all goods and services provided or rendered by the Duffy Willard Paving & Excavating, LLC, as well as costs of collection, including, but not limited to, reasonable attorney's fees.

Signature: _____

Sincerely,
Tom Fenton
Estimator
Duffy Willard Paving

